

# Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

## Texas State Operations Center



### Situation Awareness Brief

Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup> 2015  
As of 0900 CST



# Tropical Weather Awareness



# Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

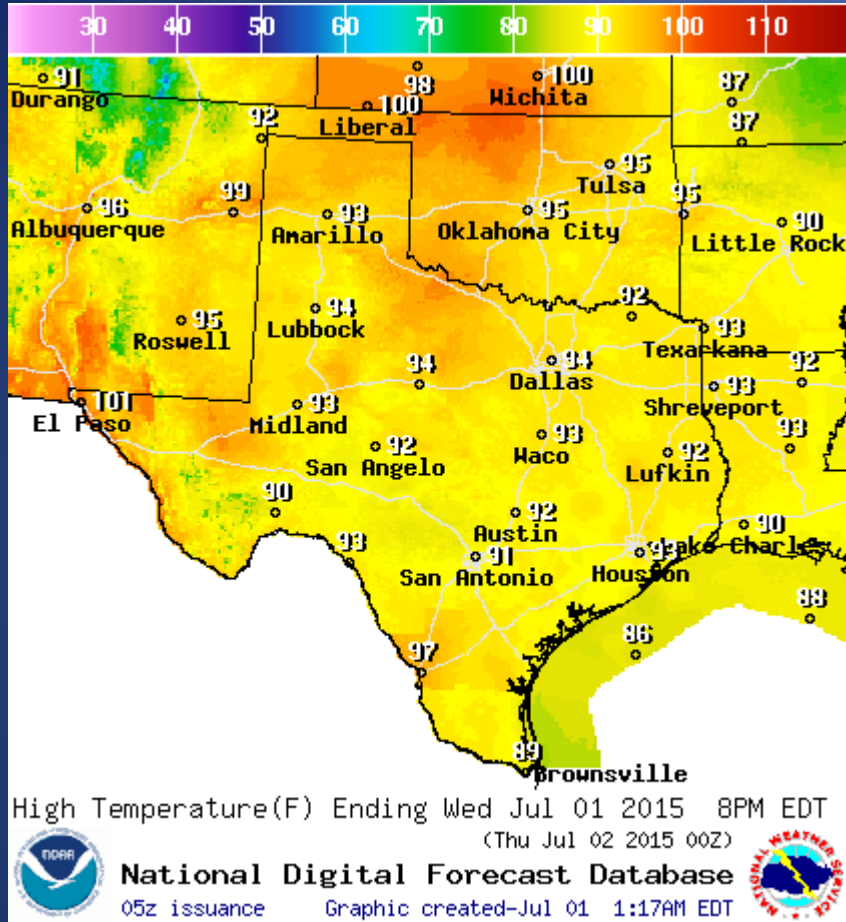
DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
06/30/15	Final Report of a Road Closure (IH 20)	Merkel/Taylor County	Y

## Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

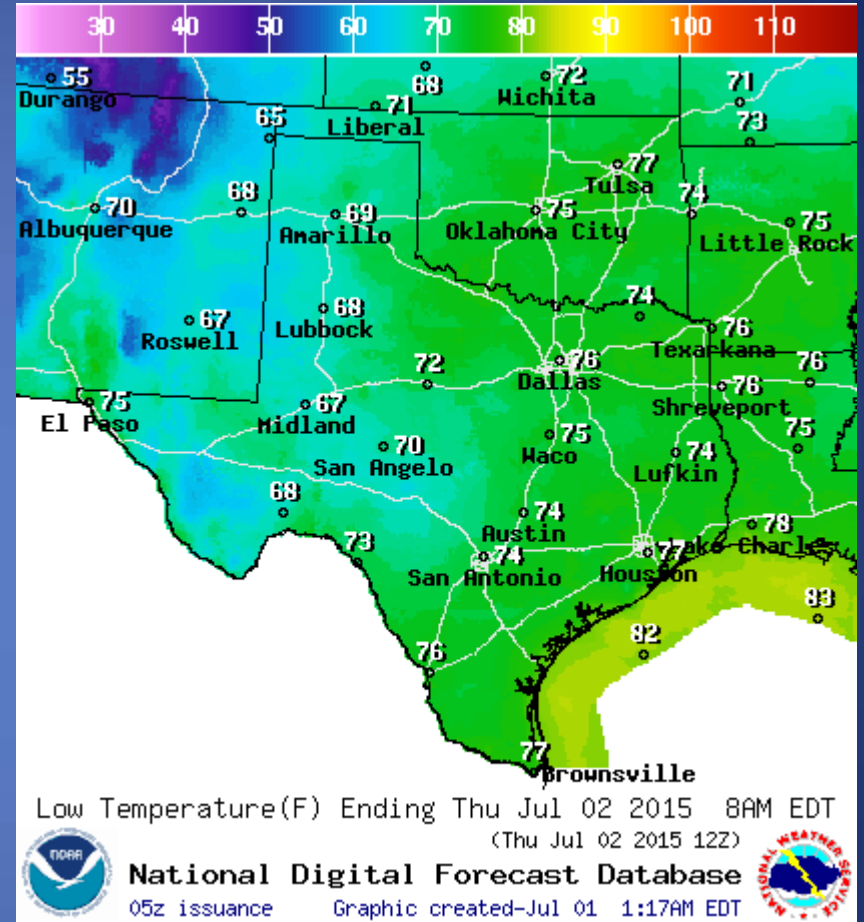
DATE	SUBJECT
06/30/15	8 May 2015 Severe Weather Event Texas VOAD SITREP 063015 FINAL
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06/30/15	NWS San Angelo Public Information Statement: San Angelo Doppler Radar (KSJIT) Taken Offline
06/30/15	NWS San Angelo Public Information Statement: NWS Damage Survey for 063015 Thunderstorm Wind Event
07/01/15	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Wednesday, July 1, 2015 for FEMA Region 6
07/01/15	NWS Houston/Galveston Public Information Statement: June 2015 Continues Recent Trend of Above-normal Rainfall



# Weather Forecast

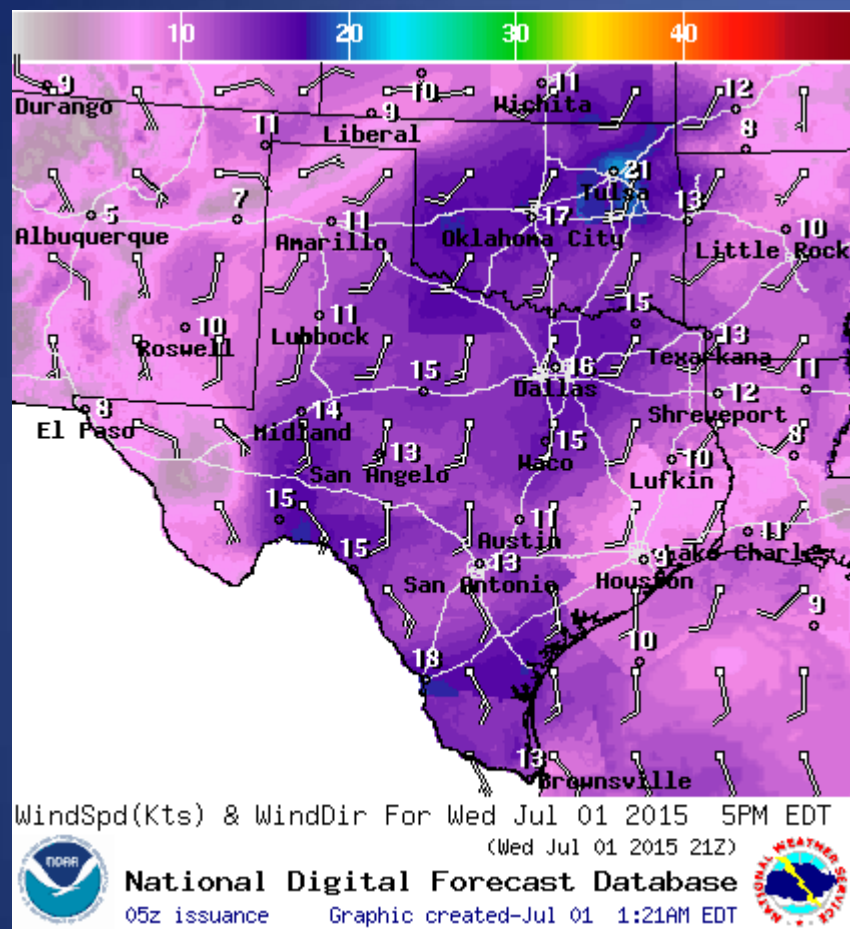


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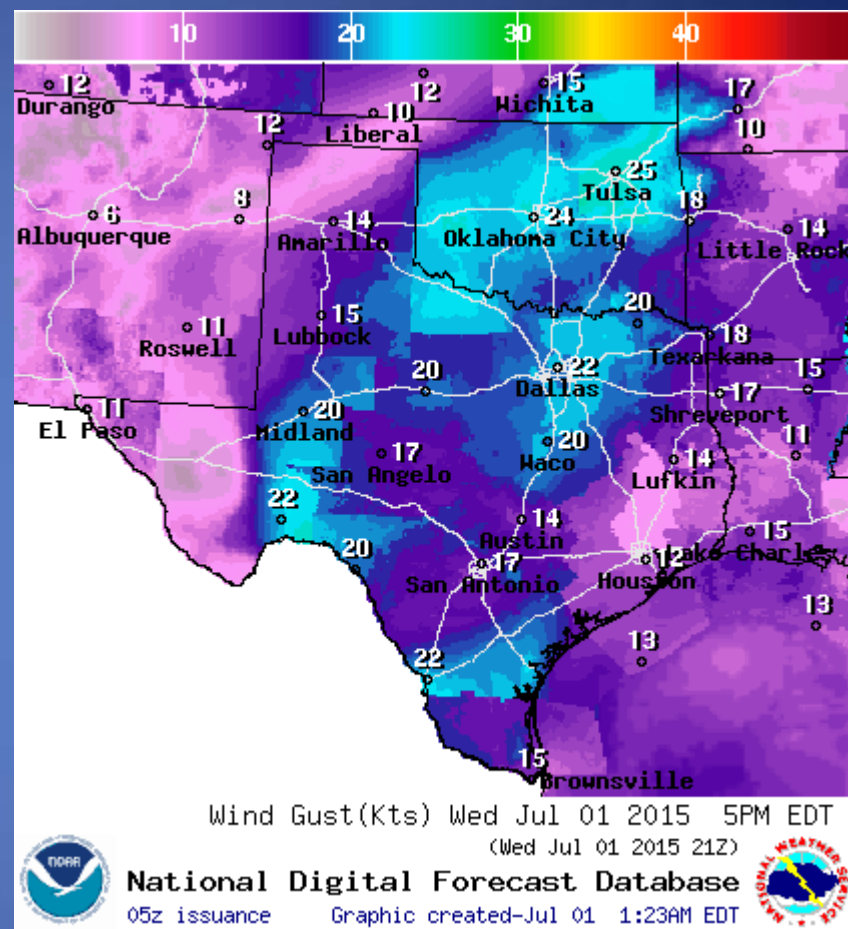


## Lows

# Weather Forecast



## Wind Speeds

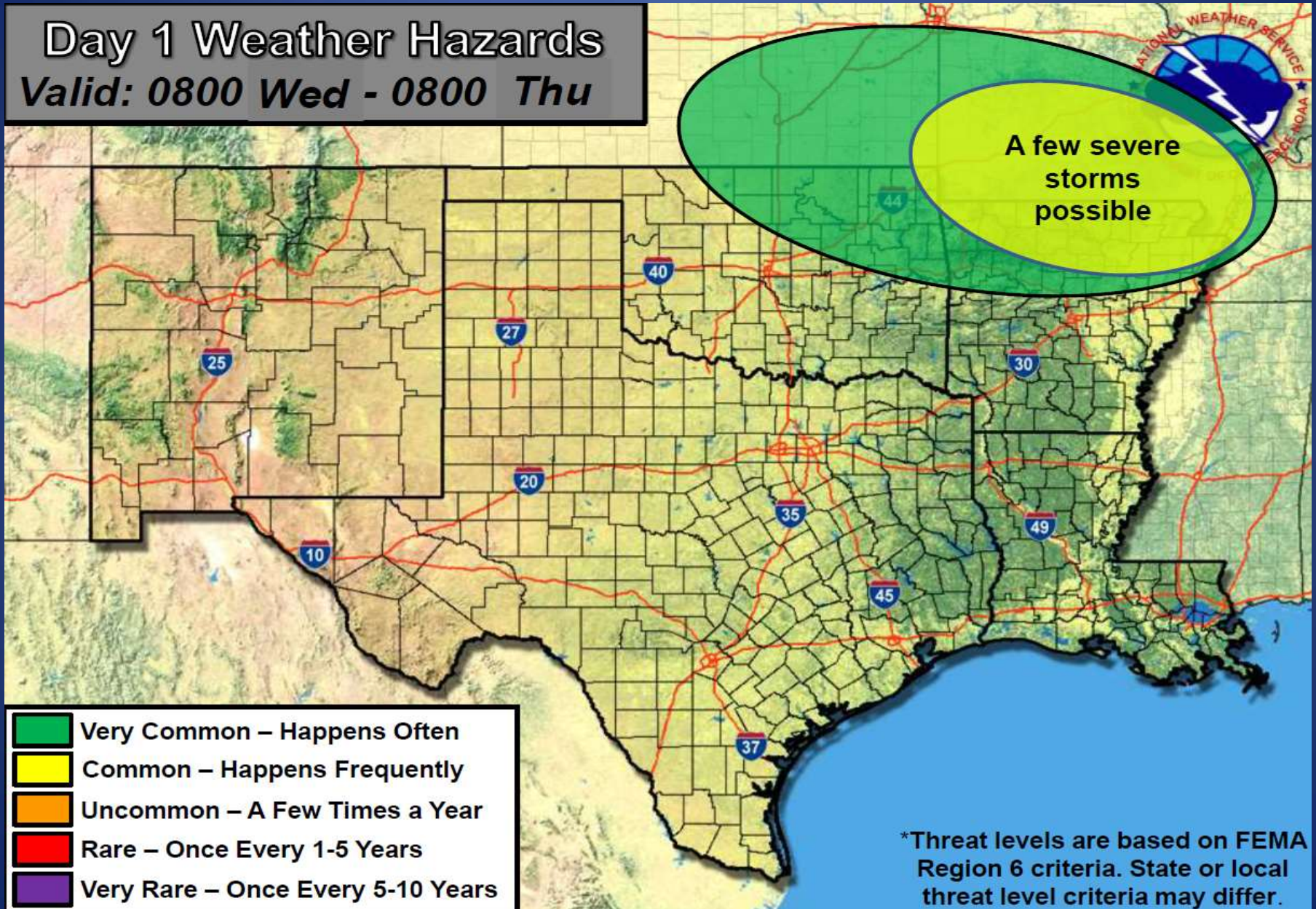


## Gusts



# Hazardous Weather

**Day 1 Weather Hazards**  
**Valid: 0800 Wed - 0800 Thu**





# Hazardous Weather






**Day 2-3 Weather Hazards**

**Valid: 0800 Thu - 0800 Sat**



Isolated areas of heavy rain and flash flooding possible over NM on Wednesday, especially over burn scar locations

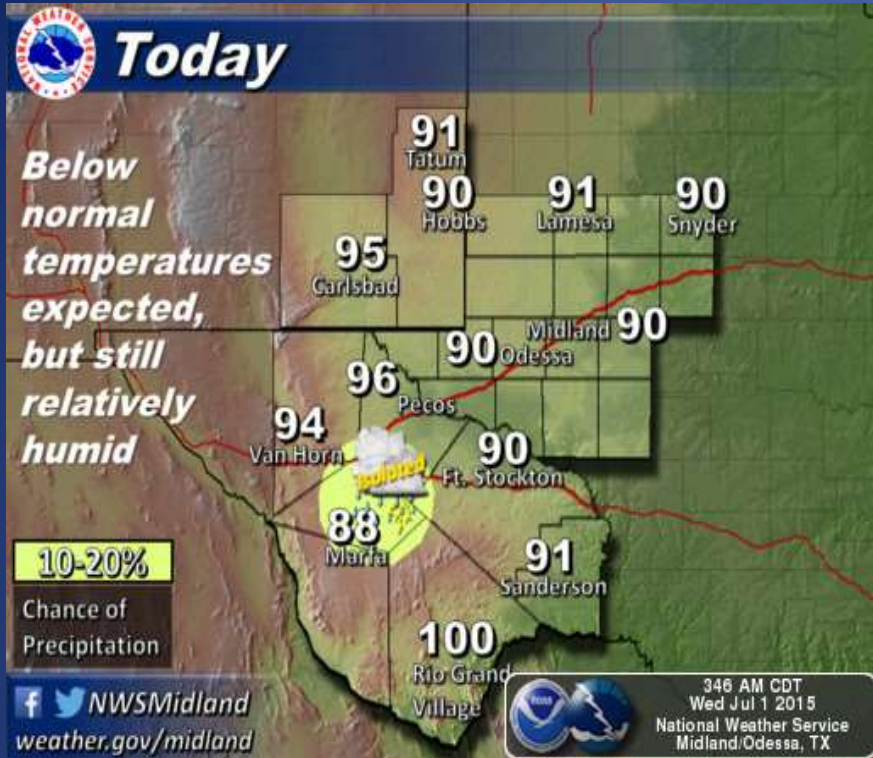
Slight risk of strong to severe thunderstorms possible afternoon into evening hours

-  Very Common – Happens Often
-  Common – Happens Frequently
-  Uncommon – A Few Times a Year
-  Rare – Once Every 1-5 Years
-  Very Rare – Once Every 5-10 Years

\*Threat levels are based on FEMA Region 6 criteria. State or local threat level criteria may differ.



# Hazardous Weather



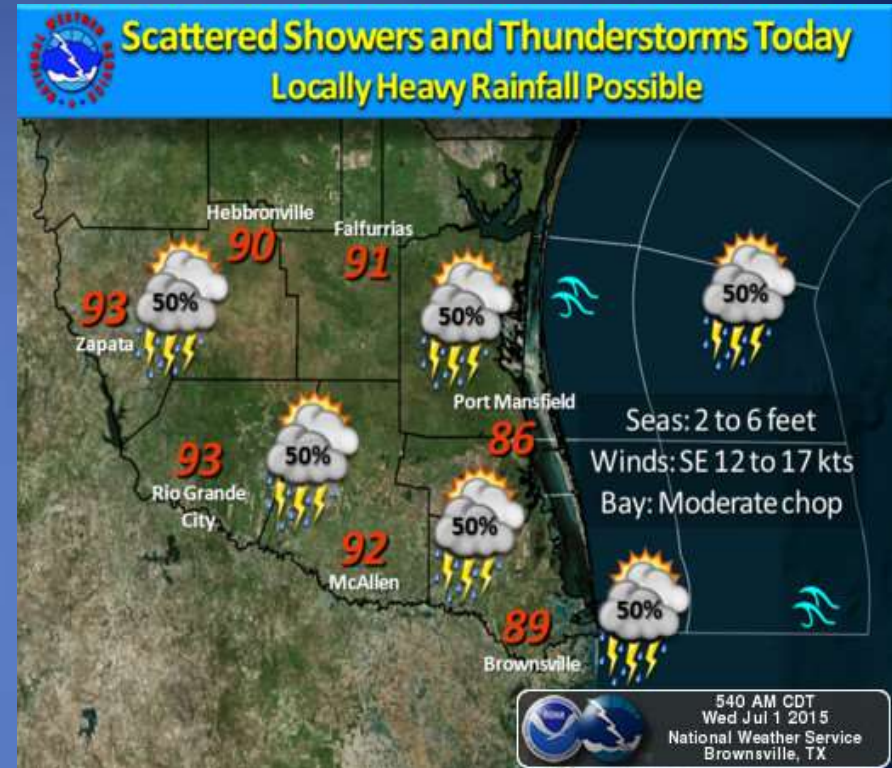
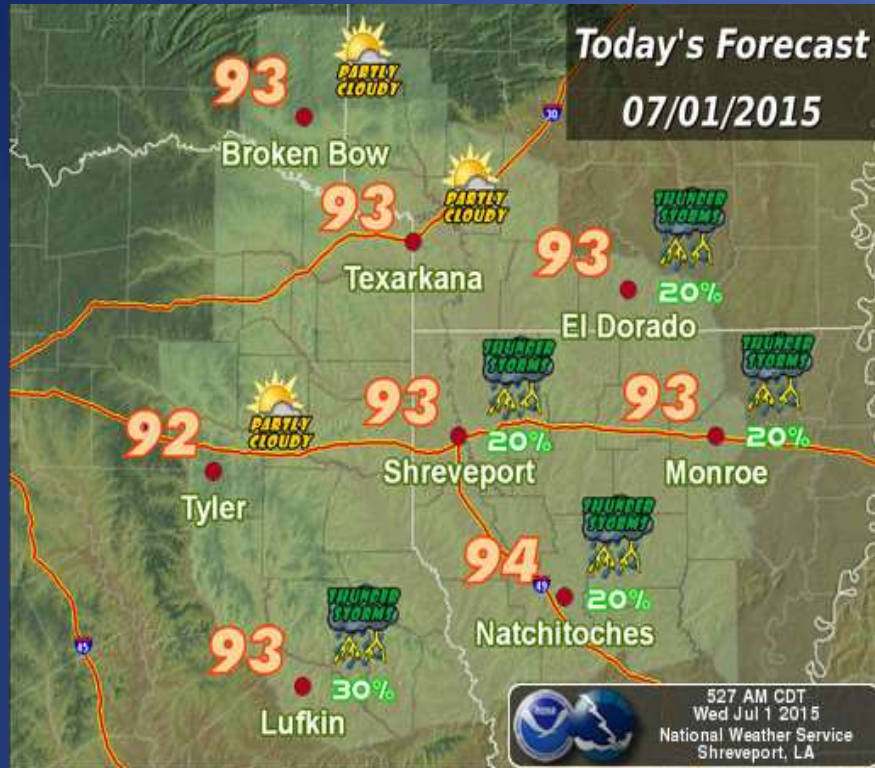
Isolated thunderstorms will be possible in the Davis Mountains today. Any storms that do develop will be accompanied by frequent lightning and brief, heavy rainfall.



High pressure aloft will bring mostly sunny skies and seasonably hot conditions to the majority of north Texas today. High temperatures will climb into the lower and middle 90s. A slight chance of thunderstorms will remain across southern portions of the region where the upper ridge is weakest and the higher moisture levels reside. Otherwise, conditions will be a bit breezy, with south winds increasing to 15-20 MPH.



# Hazardous Weather



Scattered showers and thunderstorms are possible once again today across the Rio Grande Valley and Deep South Texas as deep tropical moisture over the region combines with a weakness overhead and daytime heating. Locally heavy rainfall is possible, which may produce minor flooding across portions of the Rio Grande Valley and the northern ranchlands, especially across areas with poor drainage. Cloud cover and shower and thunderstorm activity will continue to help keep high temperatures below normal today, with highs only in the mid to upper 80s along the coast and in the lower to mid 90s inland.



# Hazardous Weather



A weak upper level disturbance over the region will interact with deep tropical moisture to provide scattered showers and thunderstorms across the region again today. Rainfall amounts will average around a quarter of an inch but isolated higher amounts between 1 and 2 inches will be possible. Showers and thunderstorms will move inland by late this afternoon. There is a moderate risk of rip currents for Gulf facing beaches today into tonight.



Isolated to scattered showers and thunderstorms are expected today. Locally heavy rains up to 2 inches in an hour are possible and may cause minor to very localized flash flooding. Strong wind gusts up to 40-50 mph are also possible. Temperatures will be 2 to 4 degrees below averages with highs in the upper 80s to lower 90s.



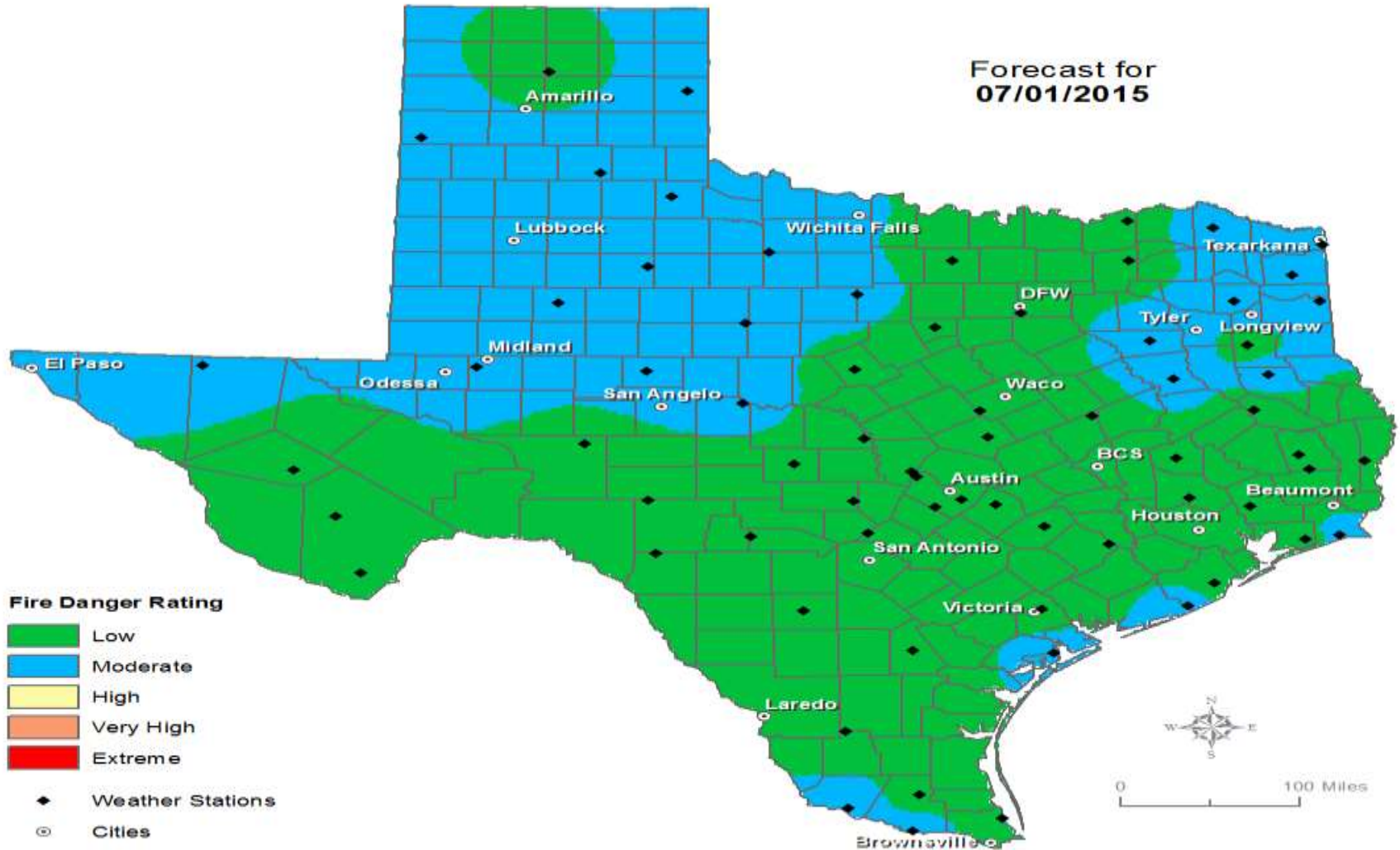
# Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
06/30/15	Flood Warning	Rio Grande at Candelaria 3N affecting Presidio County
06/30/15	Flood Warning Extended	Angelina River Near Lufkin affecting Angelina County
06/30/15	Significant Weather Advisory	Cameron, Hidalgo, Jeff Davis, Kenedy, Presidio and Willacy Counties; Marfa Plateau; Presidio Valley
07/01/15	Special Marine Warning	Coastal Waters from Port Mansfield TX to the Rio Grande River out 20 NM; Laguna Madre from the Arroyo Colorado to 5 NM North of Port Mansfield TX; Laguna Madre from the Port of Brownsville to the Arroyo Colorado
07/01/15	Urban and Small Stream Flood Advisory	Cameron, Hidalgo and Willacy Counties
07/01/15	Flood Advisory for Minor Flooding in Poor Drainage Areas	Cameron County

# Fire Danger Forecast

## Forecast Fire Danger

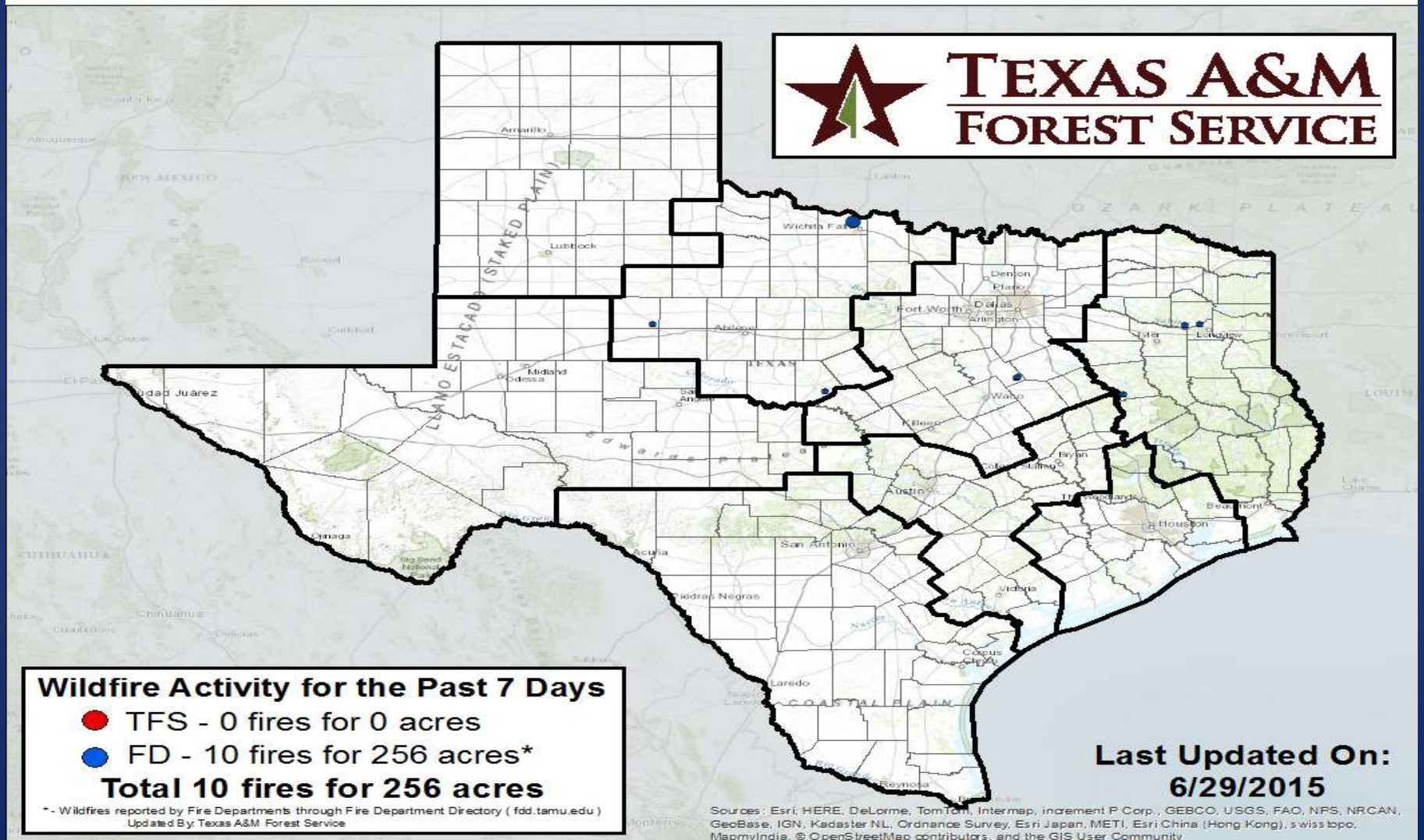
Forecast for  
07/01/2015





# Fire Activity (\*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 164 (+1) fires and 6,695 (+1) acres destroyed this year. There are 16 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 4 (no change) counties with an average over 400.



# Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
06/29/15	07/02/15	Preventative Radiological/Nuclear Detection On-Site (PRNDOS) Program	PER-243, PER-245 and PER-246	La Porte
06/29/15	07/02/15	Confined Space Rescue	H-304	Roma
06/30/15	07/02/15	NIMS ICS All-Hazards Finance/Administration Unit Leaders (FAUL) Course	E/L-975	Austin

# Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
06/25/15	07/01/15	Houston	Houston Astros MLB Baseball